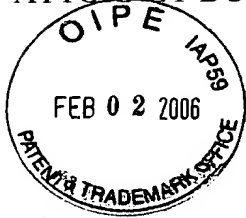


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In response to the Final Office Action mailed December 2, 2005, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to reconsider the claims in view of the amendments and the comments as set forth below. Please amend the Application as follows.